

# **MATERIALS AND STORES SERIES**

Exam Code: 2MV16

This multi-level examination is for:

2MV16-01 MATERIALS AND STORES SPECIALIST 2MV16-02 MATERIALS AND STORES SUPERVISOR

Department: Department of Motor Vehicles

Final Filing Date: December 21, 2012

Type of Recruitment: Departmental Promotional

Salary: MONTHLY-RANGED-SALARY - \$2,877.00 to \$4,411.00

Employment Type: Permanent Full-time

Permanent Part-time
Permanent Intermittent
Limited Term Full-time
Limited Term Part-Time
Limited Term Intermittent

Exam Type: State-wide

#### **EEO**

An equal opportunity employer to all regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, marital status, disability, religious or political affiliation, age, or sexual orientation.

# DRUG FREE STATEMENT

It is an objective of the State of California to achieve a drug-free state work place. Any applicant for state employment will be expected to behave in accordance with this objective because the use of illegal drugs is inconsistent with the law of the state, the rules governing civil service and the special trust placed in public servants.

## WHO SHOULD APPLY?

This is a departmental promotional examination for the Department of Motor Vehicles.

- Applicants must have a permanent civil service appointment with the Department of Motor Vehicles or meet the provisions of State Personnel Board Rules 234 or 235 by the final filing date, in order to take this examination; or
- 2. Must be a current or former employee of the Legislature for two or more years as defined in Government Code 18990; or
- 3. Must be a current or former non-elected exempt employee of the Executive Branch for two or more consecutive years as defined in Government Code 18992; or
- 4. Must be a person retired from the United States military, honorably discharged from active military duty with a service-connected disability, or honorably discharged from active duty as defined in Government Code 18991.

For applicants under Items 2, 3, or 4, if promotional examinations are given by more than one department for the same classification, the applicant must select one department in which to compete.

Persons applying using Veterans experience must submit a copy of their DD 214 with their Standard State Application (STD. 678).

# **FILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The final filing date is December 21, 2012. Standard State Applications (STD. 678) must be submitted by the final filing date via one of the following two options: postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service or hand delivered to the Department of Motor Vehicles and placed in the Selection & Certification Unit Drop Box by 5 p.m.

Standard State Applications (STD. 678) may be downloaded at California Department of Human Resources' JOBS website at <a href="www.jobs.ca.gov">www.jobs.ca.gov</a>. All applications/resumes must include "to" and "from" employment dates (month/day/year), time base, and official classification titles. Applications/resumes received without this information will be rejected.

Standard State Applications must be marked "Materials and Stores Specialist/Supervisor" and submitted by the final filing date using one of the two options below:

Postmarked by mail to:

Department of Motor Vehicles Selection and Certification Unit Materials and Stores Specialist/Supervisor P.O. Box 932315, MS A208 Sacramento, CA 94232-3150

OR In person by 5 p.m. to:

Department of Motor Vehicles Human Resources Branch Selection & Certification Unit Drop Box 2415 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, 1st Floor Lobby Sacramento, CA 95818

Standard State Applications postmarked, personally delivered, or received via interoffice mail after the final filing date will not be accepted. Standard State Applications will not be accepted via email or fax.

# **SPECIAL TESTING ARRANGEMENTS**

If you have a disability and need special testing arrangements, please mark the appropriate box on the Standard State Application (STD. 678). You will be contacted about specific testing arrangements.

#### **DEFINITION**

# **Materials and Stores Specialist**

"Performing the duties of..." To meet this requirement, the applicant must have the amount of experience in State service in the class (or be on a Training and Development Assignment or TAU to the class) specified.

"Level of responsibility at least equivalent to..." To meet this requirement, the applicant must have State civil service experience of appropriate type and length in the class at the same (or higher level) of responsibility as the class specified.

# **Materials and Stores Supervisor**

"Performing the duties equivalent in level to..." To meet this requirement, the applicant must have State civil service experience of appropriate type and length in the class at the same (or higher level) of responsibility as the class specified.

**"Equivalent in level and responsibilities to..."** To meet this requirement, the applicant must have State civil service experience of appropriate type and length in the class at the same (or higher level) of responsibility as the class specified.

# **SALARY**

# **Materials and Stores Specialist**

Range A - \$2,877.00 - \$3,591.00; Range B - \$3,128.00 - \$3,939.00

# **Materials and Stores Supervisor**

Range A - \$3,186.00 - \$4,019.00; Range B - \$3,497.00 - \$4,411.00

#### **ELIGIBLE LIST INFORMATION**

A departmental promotional eligible list will be established for the Department of Motor Vehicles. The list will be abolished 12 months after it is established unless the needs of the service and/or conditions of the list warrant a change in this period.

# REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMITTANCE TO THE EXAMINATION

# NOTE: All applicants must meet the education and/or experience requirements for this examination by the *final filing* date.

Experience applicable to one of the following patterns may be combined on a proportional basis with experience applicable to the other to meet the total experience requirement. Experience in California state service applied toward "Pattern II" must include at least one year of qualifying experience performing the duties of a class with a level of responsibility comparable to that described in the promotional pattern.

# **Materials and Stores Specialist**

## Either I

One year of experience performing the duties of a Stock Clerk or Warehouse Worker in California state service.

## Or II

Two years of experience in a supply room or warehouse in work involving the receipt and issuance of a large volume of varied commodities. (Experience in California state service applied toward this requirement must include at least one year at the level of responsibility at least equivalent to that of Stock Clerk.)

## **Materials and Stores Supervisor**

#### Either I

One year of experience performing the duties equivalent in level to a Materials and Stores Specialist in California state service.

#### Or II

Three years of experience in a supply room or warehouse in work involving the receipt, storage, issuance, and shipping of a varied supplies or food commodities. (Experience applied toward this requirement must include at least one year of supply room or warehouse responsibilities equivalent in level and responsibilities to Materials and Stores Specialist.)

# POSITION DESCRIPTION

# **Materials and Stores Specialist**

This is the advanced journey level in the general storekeeping series. A Materials and Stores Specialist may either (1) lead lower staff in the receipt, storage, issuance, and shipping of a volume of varied supplies requiring moderately complex storage practices in a redistribution or point-of-use warehouse or supply room; or (2) have charge of stores in a small State institution or agency; or (3) assume equivalent duties and responsibilities in assisting a higher grade warehouse supervisor.

#### **Materials and Stores Supervisor**

This is the working level supervisor in the series. A Materials and Stores Supervisor may either (1) supervise the receipt, storage, issuance, and shipping of a volume of varied supplies requiring complex storage practices in a large redistribution or point-of-use warehouse or supply room, including supervision over a group of assistants; or (2) in an assigned geographic area, to have charge of a large volume of equipment, stores and supplies for a State agency, and to be responsible for the maintenance of control records on the movement of equipment including supervision over a group of assistants; or (3) assume equivalent duties and responsibilities in assisting a higher grade warehousing manager.

# Positions exist in Sacramento counties only.

#### **EXAMINATION INFORMATION**

This examination will consist solely of a Training and Experience Questionnaire, weighted 100%. Candidates must achieve a minimum passing score of 70% in order to be placed on the eligible list.

The Training and Experience Questionnaire will either be mailed or emailed in January/February 2013 to those candidates who meet the requirements for admittance to the examination as stated on this examination bulletin.

# **SCOPE OF EXAMINATION**

#### TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE QUESTIONNAIRE - WEIGHTED 100%

The Training and Experience Questionnaire will consist of statements designed to measure how your training and work history have provided you the essential knowledge and abilities listed below.

#### **KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES**

## **Materials and Stores Specialist**

# A. Knowledge of:

- 1. Modern warehousing methods and practices, including the keeping of, receiving, shipping, and inventory records.
- 2. Freight rates and classifications.
- 3. Office of Procurement specifications.
- 4. Regulations involved with consolidated freight shipments, stock array systems.
- 5. Freight claim procedure.
- 6. Inventory and quality control.

## B. Ability to:

- 1. Read and write English at a level required for successful job performance.
- 2. Perform heavy physical labor.
- 3. Operate motorized material handling equipment.
- 4. Estimate possible future demands of various supplies based upon past needs.
- 5. Work independently.
- 6. Work and communicate effectively with those contacted in the work.
- 7. Direct the work of others.
- 8. Keep accurate records and prepare reports of work done.
- 9. Analyze situations accurately and take effective action.

## **Materials and Stores Supervisor**

#### A. Knowledge of:

- 1. Modern warehousing methods and practices, including the keeping of, receiving, shipping, and inventory records.
- 2. Freight rates and classifications.
- 3. Office of Procurement specifications.
- 4. Regulations involved with consolidated freight shipments, stock array systems.
- 5. Freight claim procedure.
- 6. Inventory and quality control.
- 7. Operation of motorized material handling equipment.
- 8. Department's Equal Employment Opportunity objectives.
- 9. A manager's role in the Equal Employment Opportunity Program and the processes available to meet Equal Employment Opportunity objectives.

# B. Ability to:

- 1. Read and write English at a level required for successful job performance.
- 2. Perform heavy physical labor.
- 3. Operate motorized material handling equipment.
- 4. Estimate possible future demands of various supplies based upon past needs.
- 5. Work independently.
- 6. Work and communicate effectively with those contacted in the work.
- 7. Direct the work of others.
- 8. Keep accurate records and prepare reports of work done.
- 9. Analyze situations accurately and take effective action.
- 10. Determine whether incoming supplies meet the standards set up in the Office of Procurement and agency specifications
- 11. Supervise the work of a group of assistants.
- 12. Effectively contribute to the department's Equal Employment Opportunity objectives.

# SPECIAL PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS

Strength, good physical agility, and willingness to do heavy manual labor.

#### **VETERANS PREFERENCE**

Veterans' Preference Points **will not** be granted for this examination, because it does not meet the requirements to qualify for Veterans' Preference Points.

#### **CAREER CREDITS**

Career Credits will not be added to the final score of this examination.

## **DISCLAIMER**

Please click on the link below to review the official California State Personnel Board class specification: http://jobs.spb.ca.gov/wvpos/jobspecs.cfm.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

**For an examination with a written feature**, it is the candidate's responsibility to contact the Department of Motor Vehicles, Selection & Certification Unit at (916) 657-7553 three days prior to the written test date if he/she has not received his/her notice.

**For an examination without a written feature**, it is the candidate's responsibility to contact the Department of Motor Vehicles, Selection & Certification Unit at (916) 657-7553 three weeks after the final filing date if he/she has not received his/her notice.

If a candidate's notice of oral interview or Performance Test fails to reach him/her three days prior to his/her scheduled appointment due to a verified postal error, he/she will be rescheduled upon written request.

**Examination Locations:** When a written test is part of the examination, it will be given in such places in California as the number of candidates and conditions warrant. However, locations of interviews or performance evaluations may be limited or extended as conditions warrant.

**Standard State Applications (STD. 678) are available** at <a href="www.jobs.ca.gov">www.jobs.ca.gov</a>, local offices of the Employment Development Department, and the testing department on this job bulletin.

**If you meet the requirements** stated on this bulletin, you may take this examination, which is competitive. Possession of the entrance requirements does not assure a place on the eligible list. Your performance in the examination described on this bulletin will be rated against predetermined job-related rating criteria. All candidates who pass will be ranked according to their scores.

**The Department of Motor Vehicles** reserves the right to revise the examination plan to better meet the needs of the state, if the circumstances under which this examination was planned change. Such revision will be in accordance with civil service laws and rules, and all competitors will be notified.

**General Qualifications:** Candidates must possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgment, and ability to work cooperatively with others; and a state of health consistent with the ability to perform the assigned duties of the class. A medical examination may be required. In open examinations, investigation may be made of employment records and personal history, and fingerprinting may be required.

**Eligible Lists:** Eligible lists established by competitive examination, regardless of date, must be used in the following order: 1) sub-divisional promotional, 2) departmental promotional, 3) multi-departmental promotional, 4) service-wide promotional, 5) departmental open, and 6) open. When there are two lists of the same kind, the older must be used first. Eligible lists will expire in one to four years unless otherwise stated on the bulletin.

**Criminal Record Clearance Information:** Some positions, within various divisions of the Department of Motor Vehicles, are subject to fingerprinting and criminal records check requirements. The Department of Justice and Federal Bureau of Investigation will complete this check. Applicants will be notified during the hiring process if the position is affected by the criminal records clearance procedure. Criminal record clearance is a condition of employment in positions affected by this procedure.

# **GENERAL INFORMATION -- CONTINUED**

If Promotional Examinations Only: Competition is limited to employees who have a permanent civil service appointment and military veterans that meet all the minimum qualifications. Under certain circumstances, other employees may be allowed to compete under provisions of Rules 234, 235, and 235.2. State Personnel Board Rules 233, 234, 235, 235.2, and 237 contain provisions regarding civil service status and eligibility for promotional examinations. These rules may be reviewed at departmental personnel offices, or at <a href="https://www.jobs.ca.gov">www.jobs.ca.gov</a>.

If High School Equivalence is required: Equivalence to completion of the 12th grade may be demonstrated in any one of the following ways: 1) passing the General Education Development (GED) Test; 2) completion of 12 semester units of college-level work; 3) certification from State Department of Education, a local school board, or high school authorities that the candidate is considered to have education equivalent to graduation from high school; or 4) for clerical and accounting classes, substitution of business college work in place of high school on a year-for-year basis.

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